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Application of :
Hirofumi HARADA :
Serial No. 10/812,443 : Group Art Unit - 2823
Filed: March 30, 2004 : Examiner: Fernando L. Toledo
For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A :
VERTICAL MOS TRANSISTOR : Docket No. S004-5253

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RESPONSE

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In response to the Office Action dated August 31, 2005, applicant amends his application as follows:

ELECTION OF SPECIES:

Applicant provisionally elects the species of invention characterized by the Examiner as Species I, drawn to Figs. 3-11, and submits that claim 1 is readable on the elected species.

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